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Our Case No. 5404/148

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Toshiyuki Masuda)
International Serial No.) Examiner: Not Assigned
PCT/JP2004/015329) Group Art Unit: Not Assigned
U.S. Serial No.: Applied for)
International Filing Date: October 8, 2004)
U.S. Filing Date: Herewith)
Title: FIBER FOR HAIR USE	,
IMPROVED IN CURLING)
PROPERTY AND HEAD)
DECORATION PRODUCT)
COMPRISING THE SAME)
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop PCT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: